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    UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
                                     No. CR 05-452-R
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              Plaintiff,
                                     ORDER GRANTING GOVERNMENT'S
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                                     MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS
                  v.
                                     UNTIL DEFENDANT'S PENDING
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                                      APPEAL
    JAMES STEPHON JOHNSON,
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              Defendant.
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The Court, having read and considered the motion of plaintiff United States of America to stay proceedings in the above-captioned action until defendant James Stephon Johnson's ("defendant") pending appeal of his sentence is resolved, along with the complete files and records in this action, hereby finds and rules as follows:

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The government's motion is GRANTED. Proceedings in the above-captioned case are stayed pending the Ninth Circuit's ruling in defendant's pending appeal, <u>United States v. James</u>

Stephon Johnson, C.A. No. 05-50830. The hearing previously calendared for March 31, 2008, at 10:00 a.m. is taken off calendar. IT IS SO ORDERED. DATED: March 27, 2008 HONORABLE MANUEL L. REAL UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE